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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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- English Translation of the IA filed on 08/28/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 08/28/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 08/28/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 08/28/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 08/28/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/28/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 08/28/2006
- Specification filed on 08/28/2006
- Claims filed on 08/28/2006
- Drawings filed on 08/28/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$200 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$200 for a Large Entity:

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 200
  - \$200 for 1 independent claims over 3.

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